

Application No. 09/775,891
Amendment dated August 16, 2005
Reply to Office Action of November 16, 2004

REMARKS

Claims 50-69 are pending in the application. By the present amendment, claims 50 and 59 are amended and claims 56-58 and 64-69 are canceled. Accordingly, claims 50-55 and 59-63 are at issue.

In a telephone conference held August 16, 2005 between the Examiner and the Attorney for the Applicants, the Examiner indicated that the claims as presently amended define subject matter that is patentable over the prior art. Accordingly, Applicants respectfully request that claims 50-55 and 59-63 be passed to allowance.

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